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- b. Right to trial by jury in any proceeding as to any and all matters so triable herein, whether or not the same be designated legal or private rights, or in any case, controversy or proceeding related hereto, notwithstanding the designation or not of such matters as "core proceedings" pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(2)(H), and whether such jury trial right is pursuant to statute or the United States Constitution;
- c. Right to have the reference of this matter withdrawn by the United States District Court in any matter or proceeding subject to mandatory or discretionary withdrawal; and
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Dated: November 14, 2008 PITE DUNCAN, LLP

> /s/ Casper J. Rankin (CA SBN 249196) Attorneys for GMAC MORTGAGE, LLC, successors and/or assigns

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE 1 2 I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing REQUEST FOR SPECIAL NOTICE AND SERVICE OF PAPERS AND RESERVATION OF RIGHTS was served on November 14, 2008. Service was accomplished by the method and to the following as indicated: 5 BY ELECTRONIC NOTICE OR FIRST CLASS MAIL Richard Lawrence Gifford Valerie Faye Gifford 4253 Pasa Tiempo Ct. Redding, CA 96002 8 Patrick L. Forte Law Offices of Patrick L. Forte 1 Kaiser Plaza #480 Oakland, CA 94612-3610 10 11 Martha G. Bronitsky P.O. Box 5004 Hayward, CA 94540-5004 12 13 U.S. Trustee Department of Justice Office of the U.S. Trustee 1301 Clay St., #690N 15 Oakland, CA 94612 16 I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct and that this 17 declaration was executed on November 14, 2008, at San Diego, California. 18 19 /s/ Christina K. Johnson 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28